

### CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Claim 1. (currently amended) A bumper arrangement for a vehicle, said arrangement comprising a bumper beam ~~(11)~~ fastened in two crash boxes ~~(12, 13)~~ adapted to be fastened to the vehicle, ~~wherein~~ the bumper beam ~~(11)~~ is being vertically off-set fastened in the crash boxes ~~(12, 13)~~, which have such that the bumper beam is vertically off-set from said crash boxes, said crash boxes having greater vertical extension than the bumper beam such that a portion of each of said crash boxes is not covered by said bumper beam, wherein

~~characterised in~~

~~that~~ the portions ~~(17)~~ of the crash boxes that are not covered by the bumper beam extend ~~horizontally~~ towards the front end of the bumper beam to a position within ten mm from the front end of the bumper beam.

Claim 2. (currently amended) ~~A~~ The bumper beam arrangement according to claim 1, ~~characterised by~~ wherein a deformation trigger ~~(19)~~ is defined proximate to ~~at~~ the inner end of the crash box portion that extends towards the front end of the bumper beam.

Claim 3. (new) The bumper beam arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the portions of the crash boxes not covered by

the bumper beam extend towards the front of the bumper beam in a substantially horizontal direction.